

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-20

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO PURCHASE
GOLF COURSE MOWING AND OUTDOOR
MAINTENANCE EQUIPMENT UTILIZING THE STATE OF
OHIO'S COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM

WHEREAS, Section 9.12 of Article IX of the Charter of the City of Blue Ash, Ohio, provides the method under which the City Manager shall make purchases and enter into contracts on behalf of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City of Blue Ash has been participating in the Ohio Department of Transportation Cooperative Purchasing Program since the late 1980s, which is coordinated by the Ohio Department of Administrative Services, Office of State Purchasing, and represents the result of a multi-faceted bid process at the State level relating to the acquisition of a broad array of supplies, vehicles, services, equipment and materials; and

WHEREAS, the need exists for the City to replace aging mowing and outdoor equipment used to maintain the Blue Ash Golf Course, funding for which has been approved by City Council in the Final 2023 Budget; and

WHEREAS, the Golf Maintenance Department requests authority to purchase (2) John Deere 2750 E-Cut Hybrid Triplex Mowers; and

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Blue Ash, Ohio,

SECTION I.

The City Manager is hereby authorized to purchase (2) John Deere 2750 E-Cut Hybrid Triplex Mowers from Beard Equipment through the State of Ohio's Cooperative Purchasing Program (Contract #STS515) for an amount not to exceed \$93,269.08.

SECTION II.

The Treasurer is hereby authorized to expend the necessary funds therefor, which funds are hereby appropriated.

SECTION III.

This resolution shall be in full force and take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED this 9th day of March, 2023.

Marc Sirkin, Mayor

Jamie K. Eifert, Clerk of Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan E. Pacheco, Solicitor